

THE LATEST NEWS.

AT OIL CITY.

RECENT INTELLIGENCE FROM EUROPE.

AND NEWS OF THE MENTAL STATE OF THE MEXICAN EMPIRE.

COLLISION ON THE PENNSYLVANIA CENTRAL RAILROAD.

A BATTLE BETWEEN THE PARAGUAYANS AND ALLIES.

ASTOUNDING FAUDES OF A PROMINENT DEMOCRATIC POLITICIAN.

GOVERNMENT TO DEMAND FROM ENGLAND PAYMENT IN FULL FOR OUTRAGES BY REBEL PRIVATEERS.

THE GEORGIA GOLD EXCITEMENT INCREASING.

FALLING OF A BUILDING IN CHICAGO—SEVERAL PERSONS KILLED.

THE BALTIMORE DIFFICULTY—THREE THOUSAND BOYS IN ARMS.

On Oct. 22.

A fire occurred at two o'clock this morning, destroying nearly one quarter of the oil-shipping portion of the city. Through the superhuman efforts of the Fire Department the flames were prevented from spreading into the city, in case of which its complete destruction was inevitable. The principal losers are Fisher Brothers, Weaver & Adams, Baxter & Ellison, James E. Strickler and others. Loss about \$50,000.

Two lives were lost by drowning.

ANOTHER DEATH.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 22.

A fire commenced this morning in the oil-yard of Fisher Brothers, in Oil City, which destroyed property to the value of \$50,000, partly covered by insurance. Among the losers are Fisher Brothers, Quilley & Daniels, Adams & Co., Luce & Co., Oil Company and the National Refining Company.

New York, Oct. 22.

The Paris Avenue Nationale of the 9th says: Two days ago we had received very sad news as to the mental state of the Emperor of Mexico, but although the source from which we received it was trustworthy we were unwilling to credit it. At present it is no longer so questionable. At first the state of mind was attributed to simple nervous excitement caused by anxiety and disappointment, but accounts more and more frequent leave no doubt as to the terrible insanity and the hope of cure. The Count de Drouot has been summoned to Rome, where he is now witnessing the lugubrious and dramatic episode of an enterprise which has produced nothing but disaster.

The Brussels Press De Paris of the 9th says: News received from Rome state that the mental crisis has greatly subsided. Her Majesty has been enabled to undertake the journey to Milan, accompanied by the Count de Flourens. The Mexican Legation in Paris had arrived and published the following telegram from the Emperor Maximilian:

CHARLESTON, Sept. 27, 1866.

You will inform our legation of the excellent spirit which prevails among all classes in Mexico. The Ministry is definitively constituted. The best understanding exists with our allies. The Republic is in complete order.

The Paris correspondent of the London Post, writing on the 9th inst., says: The American Government, it is said, has announced that the two ships of war which are now at Rio, one of which is the monitor Montauk, are for sale. A committee composed of the naval Prussian administration, is reported to have gone to Kiel for the purpose of securing these vessels. Though every possible precaution has been taken to prevent the spread of the cholera in England, the epidemic seems to be making good its position in the manufacturing and agricultural districts between Liverpool and Manchester. Newcastle, Gateshead, North Shields and Cumberland.

The return of the cholera at Maracalla continues to exhibit an average mortality of about three deaths in two days.

New York, Oct. 22.

A Philadelphia special to the Herald says: An accident occurred this morning on the Pennsylvania Central Railway this morning, about one mile south of York, Pa., a freight and stock train coming in collision. The conductor of the freight train was killed, and the engineer severely, and several of the passengers badly injured. The engine and cars were demolished. All the passenger trains were stopped.

A Herald's Paris correspondent says: The question of the representation of the United States at the court was widely canvassed in political circles. The writer estimates that Gen. Dix will be very acceptable to all parties as the American Minister.

What the French radicals term the Scandinavian question—an intimate alliance or fusion of Sweden, Denmark and Norway—is looming up. The Opinion National in its treatment of the subject shows that it is likely to form a serious point of rivalry and antagonism between Russia and France in the Baltic.

The Herald's Rio de Janeiro correspondence of September 24, announces important movements of the allied army in its advance into Paraguay on the 1st of September. The allied force, under the command of Gen. Lopez, is now in the city of Asuncion, and the army in the attack on Fort Uruguay, an outpost of Fort Humana, came upon a spirited battle, with which the fleet became engaged. The steamer Rio de Janeiro, which was in advance, was disabled by a shot from the enemy's gun. The fleet drew off to wait for morning.

On the 2d the fleet was routed and during the day the Rio de Janeiro was blown into fragments by a torpedo. All the vessels were disabled by explosion or at the hands of the enemy's shot. On the 3d of September the army moved forward and made an assault on the fort, carrying it at the point of the bayonet. Up to the latest date no further action, September 8, no further advance had been made.

The Emperor of Brazil closed the session of the Assembly on September 18. In his speech he informed the members that the United States of North America had given to Brazil the most complete satisfaction for the violence against the port of Bahia of the privateer Florida by the steamer Wacknaght.

BUFFALO, Oct. 22.

The Express this morning publishes a column and a half relating to alleged nation-wide fraud and over issue of stock on the Chicago & North Western Railroad. The Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, Samuel J. Tilden, is credited considerable attention.

ANNAPOLIS, Oct. 22.

The case of the Police Commissioners was taken up by the Governor this morning. The commissioners were represented by Messrs. Schuyler, Decker, and Alexander S. Stern. The latter made a reply denying the jurisdiction of the Governor, but averring a readiness to answer before a Court of competent jurisdiction. The Governor declined to be bound by the action. The counsel for the Commissioners then withdrew, saying their mission was at an end.

HALIFAX, Oct. 22.

The steamship China, from Liverpool Oct. 19th, and Queenstown the 14th, arrived here today.

News brought by the China is unimportant. It is stated that in the case of the British steamer Ticonderoga, which was captured by the French Government, the British Government has advised that it is bound to demand its return in exchange for the French steamer, to indemnify the owners and crew, and make the most ample reparation.

The London committee appeal to the public for contributions to the extent of ten thousand pounds for the prosecution of Gen. Drouot, who is charged with the services of the Emperor, Queen's Counsel, for the prosecution of the Emperor.

A statement that the Engineers of the War Department had decided to alter the construction of the Fortifications by the use of a combination of gun and iron, to use entirely of iron.

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